

DOROTHY DIX TALKS

OUR FRIENDS' ENEMIES.

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"Why do women who are otherwise wellbred and observant of the amenities of life, carry their private feuds into general society?" asked a woman the other day.

"They do, you know," she went on. "And it's one of the afflictions of existence against which I always rebel, because it is so unnecessary, and so brutally selfish on the part of those who are not willing to deny themselves the pleasure of indulging their petty spite, no matter how much annoyance it causes other people."

"Personally, I have gotten so tired of acting as a buffer between ladies who are out for each other's false half every time they meet that I feel like retreating to some desert solitude, and doing the hermit act the balance of my days. While, as for your question, I am not so much a buffer between ladies as you are, but I am sure that I am not the only one who does not commit murder upon the persons of their next neighbors, that I swear every time I do it that I will never submit my nervous system to such a strain again. As a matter of fact, the difficulty of reconciling the irreconcilable does keep me from doing a lot of entertaining that I would do if I didn't have to worry so over who could be asked to meet whom without fighting."

"There are about a dozen women with whom I am on terms of more or less intimacy, and all of whom I like, for one reason or another, but they seem to have the same effect on each other that a red flag has on a mad bull. The minute they meet they go for each other, hoof and horn, or else they sit up in a frozen silence that sends the convivial atmosphere down to zero, and nips my poor little party in the bud."

"Of course I know well enough the reason for all of these vendettas. Mrs. A. dislikes Mrs. B. because Mrs. B. is a snob. Mrs. C. dislikes Mrs. D. because Mrs. D. didn't invite her to a big reception. Mrs. E. can't abide Mrs. F. because one of them is a Christian Scientist and the other a Presbyterian. And the wife of a doctor, Mrs. H. fell out over the Red Cross work, and Mrs. I and Mrs. J are at daggers drawn since the time they both ran for president of the Browning club."

"And so it goes, and I'll say that settling the comity of nations is no more delicate with their claws than placing these women so they will not rub elbows with their enemies."

"Now I have no objections to my friends disliking each other if they want to, and get my pleasure out of it. I believe that the psychologists have discovered that hate is a stimulating emotion that is almost as enjoyable as love as a sensation, and does us good."

FATE OF POLES SEEN IN BREST-LITOVSK BATTLE

PAKIS, Aug. 6.—The Russian Bolshevik forces which have been attacking the Poles northeast of Warsaw, for the purpose of cutting communications between that city and Danzig seemed to have been checked for the time being by the desperate defense of the Polish army. Dispatches received here appear to indicate an improvement in the military situation in that sector of the front.

Observers are inclined, however, to look on the fighting near Brest-Litovsk, east of Warsaw, with some concern, as the Bolsheviks have massed large forces in an effort to break through there. It is felt that the outcome of the battle being waged in that region may decide the fate of Poland.

It is possible the apparent slowing down of the Bolshevik attack in the north may be due to difficulties encountered in bringing food, munitions and reinforcements to the front over country roads that are believed to have been thoroughly wrecked by the Poles. If this is the case, the Poles may be given only a brief breathing spell before being called upon to meet the invader's renewed drive toward their capital.

While their comrades were launching a counter-offensive in the north, the Poles fighting on southern sectors of the front have been driven from territory they had won in Galicia. In this region, however, there is no doubt that the soviet armies are not so strong nor so flushed with victory as those farther north, where the line has been crumpled by the attacks launched against it.

Rumania has begun the concentration of forces in Bessarabia. Whether this move is designed to relieve the pressure against Poland or to force the withdrawal of soviet troops on Rumanian soil has not developed. A Geneva dispatch indicates considerable Bolshevik activity in Rumania.

Conversations between the French and British governments relative to steps to be taken to induce the Bolsheviks to halt their attack or to help Poland, went on all day yesterday, but no official announcement on the subject has been made.

THIEVES STEAL AND BURN DOCTOR'S CAR

Dr. S. E. Pinous, Byrd building, Friday was walking about town instead of autoing. Auto thieves Thursday night, after they had stolen his Chandler Cloverleaf, had a three-hour joyride and then burned the machine. Officers found it, almost a complete wreck, on Hernando road, near Nonesuch, early Friday.

Two other pleasure cars were appropriated by the gas fiend gang Thursday night. Neither was found.

GOLDSMITH PROMOTED.

Sam M. Goldsmith, for three years a member of the local United States weather bureau, received notice of his appointment as assistant observer at the station at Key West, Fla., Thursday. He will leave this city August 20, for that place.

LOUDON COUNTY'S VOTE.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 6. (Sp.)—London county complete returns give Roberts 319, Crabtree 51, Littleton 29, Taylor 646.

IN ARMS OF MORPHEUS; PANTS IN OTHER ARMS

While George Grant, 441 Linden avenue, was in the arms of Morpheus Thursday night, his trousers were in the hands of a thieving visitor. The trousers contained \$178.75 when Grant took them off and retired for the night. When he woke Friday neither trousers nor money were in his room.

Grant wore another pair into the backyard where he discovered that the thief had cast aside those taken. The pockets were empty, though, so he told police.

ROBERTS GETS 1,100 VOTES IN OBION

UNION CITY, Tenn., Aug. 6. (Sp.)—About 2,000 votes were cast here. Roberts carried the county by 1,100 majority. Interest in primary was for Representative. Bratton beat Choy by 75 votes and M. C. Dade got about 250 in the county. R. F. Laduke, of Lake county, for state senate, got nearly all the votes, as did Nicholas, of Dyer county for floater. Ratliff, for sheriff; Cetty, for trustee, and Rubeley, for tax assessor, were all elected. Littleton, for governor on Republican ticket, led by several hundred votes.

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AND NOW I know.
WHAT THE answer was.
WHEN I stood on the deck.
OF THE good ship Semmes.
AND WONDERED why.
I FELT no thrill.
WHEN THE Resolute.
PICKED UP a breeze.
AND HURRIED on.
AND LIKEWISE now.
I SURELY know.
WHAT THE answer was.
WHEN I felt a thrill.
AND WONDERED why.
WHEN DOWN the course.
THE SHAMROCK came.
WITH ITS canvas filled.
AND THE answer is.
THAT THE Lipton boat.
WAS POSSESSED of a soul.
AND DOWN somewhere.
IN ITS great inside.
IT HELD a heart.
THAT WARMED to mine.
AND THE Resolute.
WAS A soulless thing.
OF CANVAS sail.
AND WOODEN deck.
AND METAL hull.
AND THAT was all.
AND NOW they're through.
AND THEIR race is run.

AND THE soulless thing.
IS TOWED away.
BY A soulless tug.
TO A soulless dock.
WHILE THE Shamrock comes.
IN ITS dress of green.
AND ITS warmth of heart.
WITH HAND outstretched.
AND TAKES my hand.
AND SAYS good-bye.
AND SAILS away.
TO MEMORIES isle.
AND DOWN in her heart.
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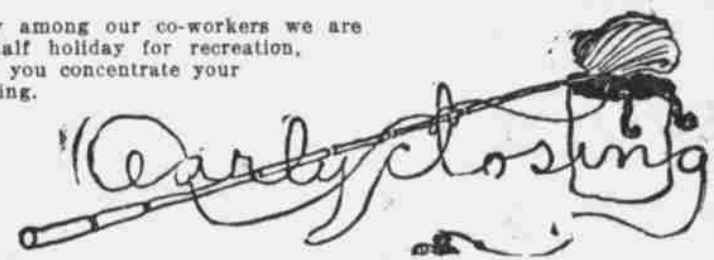
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